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# Demographic Bulletin

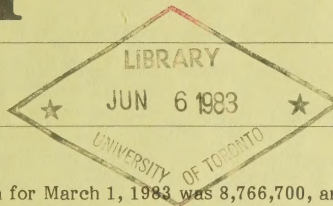


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## POPULATION

Ontario's estimated population for March 1, 1983 was 8,766,700, an increase of 1.1% over March the previous year.

## VITAL STATISTICS FOR MARCH 1983

### Births

- 10,373, a decrease of 0.9% from March 1982.
- The 12 month rate was up significantly from 14.0 per 1,000 population last year to 14.5.

### Deaths

- 6,428, a substantial increase, 18.2% over March a year ago.
- The annual rate, increased from 7.2 to 7.5 per 1,000.

### Natural Increase

- 3,945, down 21.5% compared to March last year.
- The 12 month rate was 7.0 per 1,000, up from 6.8 a year ago.

### Marriages

- 3,105 during March, a decrease of 0.1% compared to the same month in 1982.
- The annual rate per 1,000 was up to 8.1 from 7.8 the previous year.

### Divorces

- 2,496, down slightly, 0.1% from March last year.
- The rate for the year ending March 1983 decreased to 2.7 per 1,000 from 2.9.

## Vital Statistics for Ontario - Summary for March

Item	March			12 Months ending March						
	Number		%	Number		Rate per 1,000 Population				
	1983	1982		1983	1982	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979
Live Births	10,373	10,465	-0.9	126,433	121,503	14.5	14.0	14.7	14.4	14.3
Deaths	6,428	5,437	18.2	65,064	62,800	7.5	7.2	7.4	7.3	7.2
Natural Increase	3,945	5,028	-21.5	61,369	58,703	7.0	6.8	7.3	7.1	7.1
Marriages	3,105	3,108	-0.1	70,548	67,141	8.1	7.8	8.5	8.5	8.0
Divorces	2,496	2,499	-0.1	23,981	25,336	2.7	2.9	2.4	2.6	2.5

Source: Estimated by Statistical Services Branch, based on information from Registrar General, Ontario Ministry of Consumer and Commercial Relations and Statistics Canada.

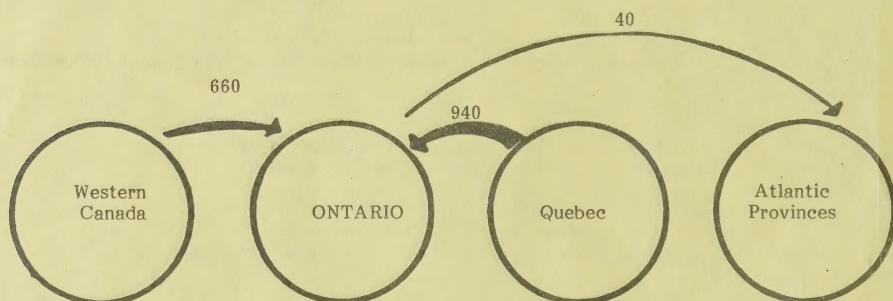
## INTERNATIONAL IMMIGRATION FOR FEBRUARY 1983

- Ontario received 2,950 immigrants in February 1983, a decline of 25.3% from February last year (3,950).
- Total immigrants to Ontario (51,200) for the year ending February 1983 decreased 7.0% compared to the previous year (55,050).

## INTERPROVINCIAL MIGRATION ESTIMATES FOR FEBRUARY 1983

- During February 1983, Ontario gained a net of 1,560 persons in the exchange with all other provinces.
- On a net basis, Ontario **gained** migrants from Quebec (940), Alberta (890), Newfoundland (30), Manitoba (30), Yukon and Northwest Territories (20), and Prince Edward Island (10). Ontario **lost** migrants to British Columbia (200), Saskatchewan (80), Nova Scotia (50) and New Brunswick (30).
- Ontario gained a net of 8,210 migrants during the year ending February 1983 compared to a net loss (20,640) in the previous year.

### Population Exchange, Ontario and the Rest of Canada - Month of February 1983



### Estimated Net Interprovincial Migration - February and 12 Months Ending February 1983

Between Ontario and	February, 1983			12 Months ending February, 1983		
	Children	Drivers	Total	Children	Drivers	Total
Newfoundland	20	10	30	-10	300	290
Prince Edward Island	10	-	10	-	50	50
Nova Scotia	-	-50	-50	80	90	170
New Brunswick	-	-40	-30	60	350	410
Quebec	280	660	940	3,780	9,860	13,630
Manitoba	10	10	30	-160	-460	-600
Saskatchewan	10	-80	-80	130	-450	-330
Alberta	320	570	890	-540	-2,410	-2,950
British Columbia	150	-350	-200	280	-2,410	-2,130
Yukon and N. W. Territories	-	20	20	-10	-300	-320
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>810</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>1,560</b>	<b>3,610</b>	<b>4,600</b>	<b>8,210</b>

Note: Figures may not add due to rounding.

Source: Estimated by Statistical Services Branch, based on information from Canada Department of Health and Welfare, Transfer of Family Allowance Accounts and Ontario Ministry of Transportation and Communications, Driver's Change of Address, preliminary estimates. These two sets of data represent two different statistical populations, which approximate the total population.

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